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In re the Application of:

BARBUT, Denise

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THE CEREBRAL VASCULATURE

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2003, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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the following documents are enclosed:

1. Amendment and Response; and
2. Receipt verification postcard.

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3. Fees for claims:

The fees for claims (37 CFR § 1.16(b)-(d)) have been calculated as shown below:

Claims	No. Previously Paid For	Claims Remaining	No. to be Paid For	Large Entity Fee	Additional Fee Due
Total	23	- 6	= 0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent	7	- 1	= 0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent	0	(if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>		\$290.00	\$0.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS					\$0.00
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TOTAL FEES FOR CLAIMS SUBMITTED HEREWITH					\$0.00

Applicant is other than a large entity. If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required with the filing of these papers, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2862.

Respectfully submitted,

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